

# THE STEAM FACTORY

## Who We Are:

Faculty, postdocs and staff from across  
The Ohio State University

## Our Purpose:

To promote interdisciplinary collaboration in the  
OSU community across Science, Technology,  
Engineering, the Arts and Math.

To disseminate research, technology and  
pedagogy through public interaction and creative  
new ways to reach a broader audience.

## Research and Collaboration:

- provide a platform for a diverse community of scholars and artists to interact
- foster interdisciplinary collaborative projects with cross-cutting research
- enable the pursuit of creative knowledge advancement
- help members across the university to identify useful resources

## Outreach and Engagement:

- assist OSU in removing barriers to knowledge
- interact with high school students to motivate the pursuit of higher education
- help revitalize the Franklinton community and build a strong technology and creative hub
- facilitate tighter bonds between OSU and Columbus, with the help of the OSU Office of Outreach and Engagement

## Current Activities:

### STEAM Exchange

- Themed events to showcase research, share experiences and transfer skills
- Bring multi-disciplinary perspectives to a single issue
- Inspire and trigger collaborative research projects
- Inform fellow faculty about current research endeavors

### Market at 400 W Rich

- Participation in weekend farmers markets and public events to:
  - showcase our research
  - educate the public through creative demonstrations of our research and technology
- Interactions with a broader non-academic community provide insights about the public value of our research
- We are constantly looking for volunteers to present. Visit our website to apply!

## Events Coming Up:

- Summer Roundup Event
- More STEAM Exchanges
- More Market presentations
- Symposium to showcase research of STEAM Factory members and invited colleagues



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